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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In the Application of: Mark T. Cranna  
Darriel Miller

Serial No.: 09/695,951

Filing Date: October 25, 2000

For: Wood Cutting Band Saw Blade

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) Examiner: Clark F. Dexter  
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Dated at Hartford, Connecticut, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 2004.

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time in which to submit

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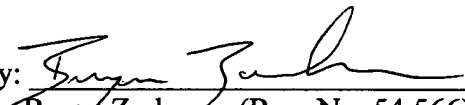
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